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Carlos PICORNELL DARDER

Serial No.:

09/491,624

Filed:

January 26, 2000

For:

Oral Pharmaceutical Preparation

Comprising an Antiulcer Activity

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Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This is a request for filing a [x] Continuation or a [] Divisional application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d), of prior application number 09/491,624 filed on January 26, 2000, entitled Oral Pharmaceutical Preparation Comprising an Antiulcer Activity Compound, and Process for its Production

- 1. [x] Utilize the file jacket and contents of the prior application, including the specification, drawings and oath or declaration from the prior application, to constitute this new application, and assign the application number of the prior application to this application for identification purposes.
- 2. [] The filing of this CPA is a request to expressly abandon the prior application as of the filing date of the request for this CPA.
- 3. [] Enter the amendment previously filed on under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 in the prior nonprovisional application.
- 4. [x] A preliminary amendment is enclosed.

5.	[]	This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application, 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d)(4).							
		a.		Delete the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional application:					
		b.		The inventor(s) to be deleted are set forth on a separate sheet attached hereto.					
6.		A new	power	of attorney or authorization of agent (PTO/SB/81) is enclosed.					
7.		Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed:							
		a.		PTO-1449					
		b.		Copies of IDS Citations					
8.	A f	fee computation sheet for this application is attached hereto.							
		a.	[x]	A check for \$487.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.					
		b.	[]	Please charge our Deposit Account No. 03-2412 in the amount of \$. A					
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11.		Small entity status:							
		a.	[x]	Small entity statement is claimed.					
		b.		is no longer claimed.					
12.	[x]	The prior application's correspondence address will carry over to this CPA UNLESS a new correspondence address is provided below.							
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13. [X] The undersigned declares that all statements made herein of his or her own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false

statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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